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Briefly

Task force to meet Thursday

The Granite City Drug and Alcohol Task Force will meet from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Thursday.
The location will be Ravanelli's Restaurant.

Genealogy topic

David Cassens will address the Madison County Genealogical Society at 7 p.m. Thursday at Immanuel United Church, 800 N. Main St., Edwardsville. His topic will be the Mercantile Library, St. Louis, and its files.

Gospel program

The gospel group "The Redemptions" will perform at Cedarview General Baptist Church, 3700 Ruth St., Pontoon Beach, at 7 p.m. Saturday.
The public is invited.

Imperial dance

Imperial dance lessons will be conducted at the YMCA, 2001 Edison Ave., 876-7200, Friday evenings from 7:15 to 8:45. Gary Schultze will teach seven weekly sessions.

Tip of the hat



Lisa Christine Kult, a senior accounting major at Culver-Stockton College in Canton, Mo., has been elected president of the C-S Accounting Club. She is the daughter of Robert and Judy Kult of Granite City. Kult was also recently selected for inclusion in the 1993 "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" in recognition of her academic achievement, leadership and service to the community.

Deaths

John Ballett
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George Hartzel
Thomas Johnson
Jerry LeMaster
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Smaller Madison street crew struggles through

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

A short-handed Madison Street Department "struggled through" the first major snowfall of the season, according to Street Superintendent Robbie Robbins. Four street department employees were laid off Jan. 1 by Mayor John Bellicoff, who said the city is facing a financial emergency. City figures project a revenue shortfall of more than \$220,000 this fiscal year.

Robbins said the layoffs left him with only four workers to deal with the snow over the weekend, but he said Monday that his department had no major problems. Robbins had six of his seven employees at work Monday.

Robbins said Madison and McCambridge avenues had been salted and cleared and all of the side streets peppered with salt to provide traction. "Some of them got slugged twice — the weatherman lied to us and, after we got

started, there was a second wave of snow," Robbins said. "We may have been a little slower than usual, but it went smoothly."

He said the crews started Saturday evening and finished Sunday morning. Although all of the weekend work was overtime, Robbins said most of the workers would take compensatory time: "Everyone likes time off in nice weather."

If there is further snowfall or a bigger storm in the future, Robbins said, the city may decide to call back laid-off workers temporarily to help.

"Or if it really gets bad, we may have to call for volunteers like we did in 1982," he said. "We'll see what happens and deal with it as it comes."

All of the street departments in the area apparently dealt well over the weekend with the snow and ice. No traffic accidents attributable to weather conditions were reported by area police departments.



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKEHURD) Madison Street Department employee Bert Armour refuels a truck at the Street Department. Photos of the winter's first major snowfall are on Page 3A.

8 hospitalized at warehouse

By Bob Slate
Staff writer

Eight workers were hospitalized and at least 11 more sought treatment after they were overcome by carbon monoxide at a brand-new warehouse in Granite City Monday night.

Propane-fueled forklifts and insufficient ventilation in the newly opened Sears warehouse building were contributing factors, said Jim Owens, director of Human Resources for the Lanter Companies. Authorities were trying to pinpoint the exact source of the contamination Tuesday morning.

The 100,000-square-foot warehouse is owned by Lanter and leased by Sears. The facility was in its second day of operations after moving from another warehouse in Venice.

Owens said that the situation

was not life-threatening. Firefighters, Illinois Power workers and an official from the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency remained on the scene until about 3 a.m. Tuesday assessing the situation.

The Granite City Fire Department received a call reporting that a man had passed out in the warehouse and requesting an ambulance at 7:20 p.m. Monday.

Two ambulances responded to the warehouse, located in Northgate Industrial Park on Route 3, and transported the unconscious man and six other employees, who complained of headaches and dizziness, to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

After preliminary tests revealed high levels of carbon monoxide in several of the patients, medical and Lanter

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Disabled get access City among first to meet law

By Mike Myers
Staff writer

Granite City Alderman Dan Partney found himself in the midst of an uphill battle to make Granite City Hall accessible to persons with disabilities several years ago.

In his then position of chairman of the Buildings Committee, Partney had asked for, and received approval for, accessibility

renovations to the City Hall. Included were restroom and light switch alterations. A city engineer was instructed to draw up the plans.

At meeting after meeting, Partney asked him about the status of the plans and each

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Jurors' host Local man oversees jury selection

Jerry Lipchik of Granite City has played host to more Madison County residents than the most ardent socialite.

His guest list runs to about 5,000 a year — people called to jury duty in Madison County courts — and he's been at it for 20 years.

Lipchik, the county's chief bailiff, not only tries to make jury duty as pleasant as possible, but also makes sure that judges have the jurors they need where and when they need them.

"Sometimes he's in the hot seat — all the judges

are clamoring for jurors," Circuit Judge Nicholas Byron said. "He does his job well."

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Granite City woman among Lotto winners

Vanita Johannpeter of Granite City has claimed a first prize of \$148,572.50 from the Dec. 28 Illinois Lottery Little Lotto drawing.

She correctly matched all five numbers and will receive the amount in a one-time cash payment.

The Dec. 28 Little Lotto jackpot grew to \$1,090,007.50 after two consecutive rollovers, an open drawing date (Dec. 25) and a one-time infusion of \$200,000 from the Lottery's Unclaimed Prize fund. It was the second-largest Little Lotto jackpot ever — and only the second one in Little Lotto history to reach \$1 million.

The largest Little Lotto jackpot was \$1,059,187.50 split by five winners on March 3, 1990.

Johannpeter said she normally plays the Illinois Lottery but got the Little Lotto.

"I didn't really like the Little Lotto because I never had any luck with it," she said.

She said she bought the Little Lotto ticket Dec. 27 at Sullie's Liquor and Lotto, 2260 Washington Ave. in Granite City.

after owner Rick Sullie told her of its size.

Johannpeter, 63, is retired from Schnuck's grocery store in Wood River. Her husband, Benny, is retired from Clark Service Station in Granite City. The couple has two sons, both in Granite City, one daughter in Collinsville and four grandchildren.

Johannpeter said she will do some home remodeling with her prize, and is planning a trip "to get away from it all" with her husband in the near future.

For selling the winning ticket, Sullie will receive a one percent bonus of \$1,485.72.

The Dec. 28 near-record jackpot was split among seven winners. Four of the seven first prize tickets were sold in Chicago, one in Bradley and one in Moline, which has been claimed by a Davenport, Iowa, man.

In addition to six other first prize winners, the drawing also produced 734 players who correctly matched four numbers to receive Second Prizes of \$251.50 in cash.



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKEHURD) Rick Sullie, owner of Sullie's store, and a happy Vanita Johannpeter, who won \$148,000 in the Illinois Little Lotto game.

Lazerson to retire next year

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

After more than 13 years in the top post at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville, university President Earl Lazerson has announced his retirement.

Lazerson made the announcement Monday during a press conference. He will continue to work the rest of the year, with his retirement effective Jan. 1, 1994.

Lazerson said no particular event has spurred his decision, which he said he has been mulling over for a few years.

"By the time I'm out of office, I'd be in my 15th year," Lazer-son said. "This just seems like a good time to do this."

An Edwardsville resident, Lazerson, turned 62 last month. When he steps down, Lazerson will take a year of professional development leave and then consider returning to the university where he began — in the mathematics department.

- Lazerson joined the SIUE mathematics department in 1969 and became its chairman in

Man found innocent of child abduction

By Nicole Vaughn
Staff writer

A two-day trial ended Thursday with a Pontoon Beach man being found innocent of two counts of child abduction.

A Madison County Circuit Court jury found Michael E. Chilcutt, 23, of the 3100 block of Lakeview Drive in Tank Town, innocent of the charges.

Chilcutt was charged last May 13 with attempting to lure an eight-year-old girl and her six-year-old brother into his car on May 3 as the children played in the street near their home in the 5200 block of Lakeview.

Chilcutt was represented by Attorney Ralph Mendelsohn, who had been appointed by the state. Assistant State's Attorney Amy Maher tried the case before Associate Judge J. Lawrence Keshner.

While Chilcutt was cleared, his brother still faces charges stemming from the case.

William H. Chilcutt, 34, also of the 5100 block of Lakeview, was charged May 14 with two counts of unlawful communication with a witness.

According to Madison County Sheriff's Department reports,

He became the dean of the School of Technology in 1973 before becoming vice president and provost in 1976.

He became acting president in September 1979 following the appointment of SIUE President Kenneth Shaw to SIU chancellor, and then Lazerson became presi-

Lazerson said he will spend his year's leave "thinking and writing" and generally taking a break from what has been a hectic schedule.

"It's an interesting job and one I've been pleased to have the opportunity to do," Lazerson said.

"It was not really that tough a decision. I've always tried to do the best at whatever I'm currently doing and so far I've been satisfied."

SIU Chancellor James Brown and A.D. VanMeter Jr., chairman of the SIU Board of Trustees, joined Lazerson to make his announcement.

"If anyone has earned the right to relax a bit, it is President Lazerson," Brown said.

"SIU will miss his unique leadership style but we must all respect his desire to redirect his interests and energy."

"He has served the university well and we hope to continue to draw upon his expertise and experience."

VanMeter praised Lazerson for his service and said he would not be easy to replace.

"For all practical purposes, he is SIUE to many here and across the state," VanMeter said.

"He will long be remembered for his vision, his leadership and countless hours of service," Lazerson said he will not be

"That's a matter for the board and the university to review and decide what their needs are," Emerson said.

Lazerson was recently appointed by Gov. Jim Edgar to the Illinois Economic Commission. He also serves on the board of directors of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

rectors of the St. Louis Technology Center, the St. Louis Symphony Society and the Leadership Council of Southern

- Plant

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Company officials requested all employees to report to the hospital for testing.

Fire officials ordered equipment at the warehouse shut down and evacuated the building. Loading dock doors were opened and industrial fans were used to ventilate the building.

By 11:30 p.m., eight of 19 employees tested had been admitted to the hospital. Their conditions were not available at press time Tuesday.

Modified operations resumed at the warehouse Tuesday morning.

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Snow scenes — Saturday night's snowfall — the first major one of the season — was, after-school fun for children leaving Lake School Monday afternoon. Above, eight-year-old Daniel Melior, left, gets ready to let go with a snowball while his two friends scurry away.

At left, Shelly Kaleta and her daughter built a snow paperboy in front of their home in the 2500 block of Edwards Street.

FACES IN THE CROWD

(Staff photos by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Black leaders call off boycott

A plan by blacks to boycott some Edwardsville area businesses has been called off. The boycott was to have targeted businesses whose managers are members of all-white Sunset Hills Country Club.

William Lambert, who recently announced the boycott, said Friday the country club apparently has changed its policies and now is willing to consider black applicants.

Lambert said, declining to respond to further questions. In response to a reporter's questions, Tony Gabriel, president of the club's board of directors, recently said the club would welcome applications from blacks. Gabriel said Lambert had never contacted him about black club membership. The club touched off a controversy in 1975 when it denied membership to Emil Jason, then a vice president of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and now chairman of the university's chemistry department.

Lambert has said he speaks for a group of from 100 to 150 others who had planned to support the boycott and are working to elect a black circuit judge.

Lambert has refused to identify any other members of the group and, so far, none have come forward. He also declined to identify the circuit judge candidate the group is backing.

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Correction

A story in the Jan. 10 issue of the Granite City Sunday Home Press-Record/Journal improperly identified Gene Robertson. Robertson was selected to serve on the Madison Board of Police Commissioners to replace Edward Dohnal, who resigned.

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St. Louis City official Jack Kean, St. Louis County Executive "Buzz" Westfall and East St. Louis Mayor Gordon Bush at the grand opening of the Union Station McDonald's restaurant.

Gospelfest is March 20

By Daniel J. Ladd
Correspondent

McDonald's restaurants are putting out the invitation to area gospel singers to tune up their pipes to audition for the second annual McDonald's Gospelfest, a celebration of gospel music at the Fox Theater March 20.

Proceeds from the event will go to Ronald McDonald Children's Charities (RMCC). RMCC provides grants to individuals and non-profit organizations that help children.

"We feel privileged that as St. Louis celebrates the glory of gospel music, Ronald McDonald Children's Charities can benefit from the celebration and help lift our kids to a better tomorrow," said Tom Tomlinson, president of the local RMCC.

On Thursday evening, event sponsors held a kick-off celebration at Union Station. East St. Louis Mayor Gordon Bush, County Executive George "Buzz" Westfall and Jack Keane, a representative from Mayor Vincent Schoemehl's office, presented proclamations honoring the festival.

Bush said the celebration was the coming together of two forces to do good.

"When you put two forces together the way we're here," Bush said, "the gospel choirs and McDonald's, coming together as two powerful entities to help our young people and those who are oppressed and underprivileged, it's a great gathering."

Westfall said the event was a show of togetherness that the

region could use more of.

"It's a great thing for McDonald's to do this," Westfall said, "to bring group choirs and people to come listen to them to have a great time and to bring the region together, because if we don't think like a region, if we don't think of ourselves as the Metro-St. Louis area, we won't prosper."

During the kick-off celebration, two area choirs, The Combination of Praise, and The Group, serenaded weary shoppers, who soon were clapping along with the music.

The Combination of Praise's leader, the Rev. Amos Isaac, said his group had participated in last year's performance, and said it was a moving experience.

"We enjoyed the fellowship," Isaac said, "the getting together with other churches. We met a lot of people we didn't know. Here in St. Louis, we really need to get together."

The associate producer of the Gospelfest is local gospel music diva Meridian Gales.

"We're coming together to break the barriers between denominations, between the community, and the musicians," Gales said.

Auditions will be at Union Station on Feb. 12-14. The 25 finalists will be announced on March 1. Applications are available at nearby McDonald's restaurants.

Last year, more than 600 gospel performers auditioned for the festival. Gospelfest organizers predict a similar or even bigger turnout this year.

Gospel singers, groups can audition for Gospelfest

Gospel singers, choirs and groups are preparing for the opening of auditions for the 1993 McDonald's Gospelfest, sponsored by the Suburban Journals.

The Gospelfest, a celebration of the gospel music of the St. Louis and metro East areas, will use the theme, "Let's Build a Bridge." Proceeds from the March 20 performance at the Fox Theatre will be used to make grants to local non-profit organizations.

Audition times are limited. Applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis with quotas in each music category.

A maximum of 200 soloists will be allowed to audition, with a limit of 80 choirs and 50 small groups.

Those who wish to audition must submit a 3- to 5-minute cassette recording along with the application form. All tapes must be labeled with the name of the performer, name of selection being performed and the performance category. Soloists are required to perform the same song that is on the submitted tape.

Applications should be mailed to: McDonald's Gospelfest, P.O. Box 997, St. Charles, 63302-0997. All applications must be received by Feb. 1. The postmark on the application will be the deciding factor in deciding quotas.

Auditions will be Feb. 19 through 21 at Union Station. Applicants will be notified in writing as to the time and details of the audition.

Each applicant will receive a postcard acknowledging receipt of the application and stating its status. A detailed audition guide including audition times will be mailed to active applicants on Feb. 7.

All finalists who are invited to participate in the McDonald's Gospelfest performances will be notified in writing by March 1. There will be two to two performances at the Fox Theatre on March 20 — a 2 p.m. matinee and an 8 p.m. evening performance.

Tickets are \$10, \$15 and \$20 and are available at the theater and through MetroTix. Discounts are available.

The McDonald's Gospelfest information number is (314)

436-7206.

Application for McDonald's Gospelfest

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Group Category: ☐ Soloist ☐ Small Group (2-12 members)

☐ Choir (13 or more members) Adult and youth choirs

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☐ Southern & Country Gospel

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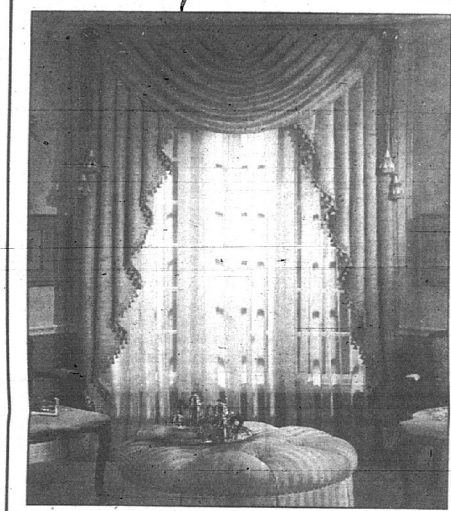
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Deputy Transportation Secretary Harold Monroney, one of the longest-tenured engineers in the Illinois Department of Transportation, retired Dec. 30 after more than 43 years of public service.

Monroney, a registered professional engineer, has served as the deputy secretary since April of 1989, and prior to that post, he was the director of the Division of Highways.

Illinois Transportation Secretary Kirk Brown said, "Harold Monroney's career epitomizes the best in public service. He has always striven for excellence in engineering, and in doing so, he has made a substantial contribution to the well-being of Illinois citizens."

Foot Notes

by Dr. Armand A. Kachigian



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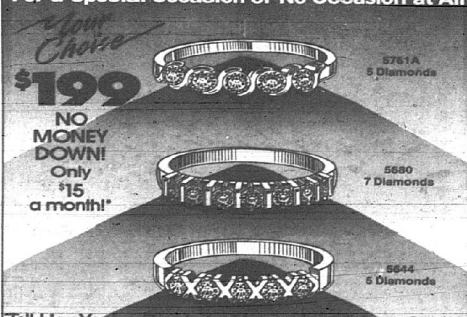
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Domestic violence targeted

By Bonita Tillman
Staff writer

A new program that hopes to rehabilitate men who commit domestic violence is the "missing link" in the circle of services for domestic violence cases, a local agency director said.

The program, developed by Providence Counseling Services of St. Louis, provides 26 weeks of counseling to men charged with domestic violence. Perpetrators will be referred by the judge overseeing his case.

Jonathan Cohen, who heads the program for Providence, said men are accountable for their actions under the system.

"It puts the burden on the system, not on women," he said. Jane Lee, head of the Women's Crisis Center of the Metro-East, said her agency worked with Providence for more than a year to come up with the pro-

gram. She said she finds it a "big step for St. Clair County."

The Women's Crisis Center handles about 25 cases a month of criminal orders of protection in which a woman has been physically abused. Seventy more cases of civil orders of protection are filed a month. In those cases, the woman is emotionally or psychologically abused.

"Although we see a very small number of repeat abusers, it doesn't mean the abuse has stopped," Lee said. "Sometimes it just means a woman has gone to another agency for help."

A major component of the system is the fact that domestic violence victims no longer have to file charges with police to make sure men are prosecuted, Cohen said. If the evidence is there, police can arrest and charge the abuser without the victim signing a complaint.

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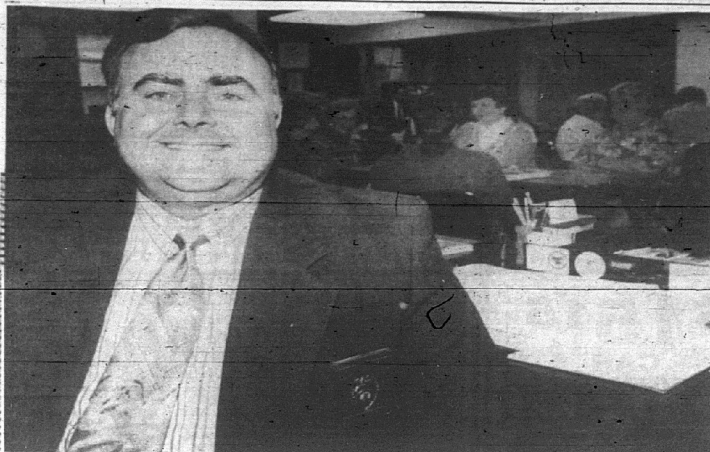
ney Bob Haida said he did not have any statistics on the number of men charged with battery since the practice began 18 months ago, but he feels it has been successful.

"It's enabled the victim to not be front and center anymore in the charges," he said. "She just becomes a witness subject to a subpoena. Sometimes they were pressured not to testify."

Kathleen Buescher, Providence's president and chief operating officer, said the program was necessary to stop the cycle of abuse.

"If future violence was to be stopped it became apparent that we needed services for men who batter," she said.

The men's program will be held at Providence's Illinois Center, No. 3 Executive Woods, Belleville. Men also can voluntarily enter the program by calling 1-800-782-1008.



Bailiff Jerry Lipchik with prospective jurors in the background.

(Staff photo by PAM DOPKEHURD)

Lipchik

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"I wouldn't be here if I didn't," he said.

On 32 Mondays each year, Lipchik greets another 130 to 150 people called to do their civic duty. Most accept it with good humor and many enjoy the experience, he said.

"Most of them are in a pretty good mood," Lipchik said. "They're all nice people. There are a lot of people who are disappointed if they sit here for three days and don't get picked for a jury."

While waiting to be called, prospective jurors read, play cards, work on crafts or just talk with each other, he said. Unless selected for a lengthy trial, most serve three or four days.

Lipchik proudly touts the county's new but temporary jury assembly room in the former Madison County Board room as "the best we've ever had." It will move to another location in the Courthouse basement when renovation of the building is completed.

Jurors in the past often have had to report for jury duty in

rented space in buildings near the courthouse.

"Most of my career in the courthouse has been spent outside the courthouse," Lipchik quipped.

Lipchik, 51, and his wife, Becky, a pediatric nurse, live in Granite City. All but one of their four children are grown.

Away from work, Lipchik finds time for polka dancing, accordion playing and woodworking.

Many of the desks in county offices sport wooden name plates that came from Lipchik's shop.

— From the Alton Telegraph

Real estate seminar slated for Thursday

Coldwell Banker Star Realtors, an independently owned and operated member of Coldwell Banker Residential Affiliates Inc., will hold a free seminar on career opportunities in real estate.

The seminar will take place at 2 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 14, in the Coldwell Banker Realtors office located at 3701-D Nameoki Road near Granite Bowl.

The seminar will include information on getting started in the real estate business, the licensing and sales training program, and the earnings potential of real estate sales associates.

Anyone interested in attending the seminar or anyone needing further information may call the real estate office. The phone number is 876-0024.

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Community calendar

Wednesday, Jan. 13

American Association of Retired Persons Chapter 1340, 7 p.m., Granite City Township Hall, 876-8328. All seniors 55 and over welcome.

Granite City Business and Professional Women, meet at Jerry's Cafeteria, Dinner at 6:30 p.m., followed by a program at 7:15. Open to public. For more information, call 931-1112 or 876-8914.

Singles Connection, 7:30 p.m., an evening at Our Gang's at Howard Johnson's, Collinsville. Call Mary at 656-1756.

Pulmonary Support Group, for persons with diagnosed lung condition, 11 a.m. to noon in 4-Doctors Solarium, St. Elizabeth Medical Center, 798-3619.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon, 7:15 p.m., Gateway Foundation, 600 Lincoln, Caseyville, 692-8078.

Parents Anonymous Group, meets 6 to 8 p.m. For information on where meeting will be held, call Elaine Landolt, 462-2714.

Stress Management Class, 6:30 to 8 p.m. every Wednesday, at Mental Health Services, 3024 State Street, Granite City, Ill. 62040-4686. Classes are for people who want to know what causes stress, how it affects their lives, and what they can do about it. Call 877-4420 for more information. Fees are based on a sliding fee scale.

School of Metaphysics, 7:30 to 10:30 p.m., 940 Roslan Place, St. John, Mo. 63114. Classes in applied metaphysics. Ongoing classes in applied metaphysics are being offered by the School of Metaphysics. Contact Melanie McManus at 429-0076.

Thursday, Jan. 14
Edwardsville Kennel Club, 7:30 p.m., Hayes Malory Community Building, 216 Crane St., Edwardsville, open to public.
Madison County Genealogical Society, meets 7 p.m. at Immanuel United Church, 800 N. Main, Edwardsville. David Cassens, B.A. and M.A. from St. Louis, will speak on the holdings of the Mercantile Library, St. Louis. Cassens will talk about the entire focus of the library and how to access the facilities. He will tell how to get there from Metro East, where to park your car, how to get the most out of the opportunity to use the library.

Holy Family Catholic Church, 2606 Washington Ave., will hold adult instruction session in Community Center, 7 p.m.

Singles Connection, 6:30 p.m., dinner at Heimey's on Beltline Road, Collinsville. Call Linda at 344-2178 or Linda at 452-1756.

Mount Zion Baptist Church, 4 to 6 p.m., 2827 Mockingbird Lane, is offering "Meals from the Heart," a free meal to those in need. Open to the public.

Chouteau Township Senior Citizens, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., Social Center, 906 Thorngate Drive, Mitchell.

Wal-Mart Senior Citizens, bingo, 8 to 9 a.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., Presbyterian Church, Mitchell, 876-8467.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 11 a.m., Unity Chapel, Stratford and Village Lane, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon, 9:30 a.m., St. Elizabeth Church, quilting room, 2300 Pontoon Road, 692-8078.

Al-Anon, 8 p.m., St. Elizabeth Medical Center, Wiesman Room First Floor (babysitter available), 692-8078.

Overeaters Anonymous, 7:30 p.m. at First Christian Church, 2415 N. 88th St., Caseyville. For information, call 1 (314) 638-7821.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 2 to 4 p.m.

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Friday, Jan. 15

Fish Fry, 4 to 7 p.m., at St. Elizabeth Church, Johnson and Pontoon Roads. Serving new brasserie cooked cod, catfish and jack salmon dinners or sandwiches. Carryouts are available. Public is invited. Sponsored by the Men's Club.

Southern Illinois Divorced/Separated Catholics (SID/SC), will meet at 7:30 p.m. at St. Boniface School, 128 North Buchanan, Edwardsville. Guest: Suzanne Mostafavifar. Topics: Healthy Relationships, Newcomers Welcome. For more information, call 463-1463.

Singles Connection, United Singles Dance held at Holiday Inn, Clayton. We will carpool from Drury Inn, Collinsville, at 7:30 p.m. Call John at 245-5042.

Alcoholics Anonymous, noon and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Saturday, Jan. 16

Obsessive/Compulsive Disorder Support Group, meet at St. Anthony Conference Center at St. John's Mercy Medical center, 615 South New Ballas Road, 10 a.m. Meeting is free and open to OCD patients, family and friends. For information call 1-314-843-3376.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

Al-Anon Adult Children, 10 a.m., Suburban Baptist Church, Maryville Road and St. Clair (babysitter available), 692-8078.

Rescue Mission, 1536 Fourth St., Madison, food pantry is open from 9:30 a.m. to noon. A rummage sale is also held every Saturday in the church yard.

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Sunday, Jan. 17
Singles Connection, 6 p.m., Imperial Dance lessons held at American Legion, 1022 Vandallia, Collinsville. There is a \$4 fee, which covers the lessons and the general dance that follows.

Alcoholics Anonymous, 1:30 p.m. and 8 p.m., 2116 Club, 2116 Edison, Granite City, 876-8467.

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Chapter 53, 1417 19th St., Granite City, 876-7816, 8 p.m.

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County under the gun on sheltered care, juvenile facilities

Madison County officials have less than six weeks to decide how they are going to pay for millions of dollars in work at the nursing, sheltered care and juvenile detention homes.

Several influential County Board members have said the only way to save the beleaguered facilities is to raise taxes.

But such a move would require voter approval this spring. And, said County Clerk Evelyn Bowles, the deadline for placing a referendum on the April ballot is Feb. 16.

Any referendum proposal would need County Board approval, but with only one full board meeting planned before the deadline, officials could find themselves under the gun.

The next board meeting is set for Jan. 20. The regular February meeting is Feb. 17, the day after the deadline.

Bowles said the board could give itself an extra opportunity by calling a special meeting between Jan. 20 and Feb. 16.

But if no action is taken by Feb. 16, a tax increase to pay for one or all of the projects would have to wait until next year.

Board members have yet to work out details of a referendum proposal or discuss what sort of renovations or construction are needed at the homes.

A pair of task forces was appointed 22 months ago to address the regulatory and financial problems facing the aging homes, but the groups have yet to meet.

Finance Committee Chairman Bill Little and several other board members have said a tax increase will be necessary to save the troubled homes, but Little has said repeatedly he wants to see what the task forces have to say before making a formal proposal to the board.

"There are no (task force) meetings scheduled at this point. All this will come out in the next few weeks," said County Administrator Jim Monday.

Monday, a member of the task forces, said he had not had a chance to consider the referendum deadline.

"If that's the deadline, that's the deadline, and we'll deal with it," he said.

Officials may shift the nursing and sheltered care homes to the back burner while they decide what to do about the juvenile center, Monday indicated.

The Illinois Attorney General's Office last year revived a threat to sue the county if problems at the juvenile center, including a chronically leaking roof, were not fixed.

"The intention, I think, is to make a recommendation for the detention home by (February) and nothing else," Monday said this week.

The County Board could ask voters for a tax increase to pay for juvenile home repairs, but that would effectively delay any major

work on the nursing and sheltered care homes until 1994. Last week, Board Member Bob Stille floated a plan to combine the 100-year-old sheltered care home with the 67-year-old nursing home in a new facility at a cost of between \$4 million and \$4.5 million. No concrete proposals have been made for addressing the problems facing the 24-bed juvenile detention home.

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Federal disability law will have greater impact this year

By Dennis R. Heinze
Staff writer

(Part one of two-part series)
The Americans with Disabilities Act is nearing its first anniversary with little fanfare, but the civil rights law for people with disabilities has effected some significant changes and portends even more.

However, as with the Civil Rights Acts of the 1960s, change has come slowly — in physical alterations as well as in attitudes.

"I'm not sure that the people are taking the law as seriously as they should be, particularly municipalities," said Robert Hapka-Tracy, independent living specialist with Paragard. "I think St. Louis County (as a whole) is taking some steps in certain areas, but they certainly need to be farther along than they are."

The next phase of the law that takes effect this month, though, should have dramatic effects on accessibility in the future, he said.

The entire law is designed to break down the barriers that people with disabilities have faced in all aspects of life, including employment, transportation, public accommodations and telecommunications.

"It has certainly caused people all over — whether it's in business or the public or in government — to step back and take a look," said Judith Parker, director of human services for St. Louis County and a member of the county's Commission on Disabilities. "Nothing's going to happen overnight, but I just truly think it's going to benefit all of us in the long run."

The first phase of the law, which focused primarily on accessibility to buildings, was implemented almost a year ago on Jan. 26, 1992.

Under one provision, state and local governments were mandated to make buildings and services accessible. For example, many cities have installed wheelchair ramps and altered drinking fountains and bathrooms.

"In a lot of the cases, the municipalities weren't even accessible (for people with disabilities) to go to a city council meeting or a court at night," Hapka-Tracy said.

Paragard, an advocacy organization for people with disabilities that helps people live independently, has contracted with the

St. Louis County Municipal League to survey city facilities for barriers. So far, only about 15 of 90 municipalities have taken advantage of the program.

"That may mean that some are doing it on their own, but I don't suspect that all of them are," Hapka-Tracy said. "They really should have been up to date anyway because of (existing federal laws), but in a lot of cases that's not true either."

The ADA also has mandated that public accommodations — such as restaurants, hotels, the-

aters, stores, libraries and parks — remove physical barriers in existing facilities — if achievable without much difficulty or expense.

Another aspect of the law, which took effect July 26, ordered employers with 25 or more employees not to discriminate against qualified individuals with disabilities. Employers must reasonably accommodate the disabilities of qualified applicants, such as by purchasing special equipment.

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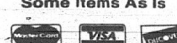
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Thomas Johnson

Thomas W. Johnson, 75, of South Roxana died at 7 a.m. Saturday, Jan. 9, 1993, at his residence. He had served as a trustee of Chouteau Township.

Born in Prentice, Ala., on Aug. 25, 1917, he retired in 1969 as a U.S. Air Force master sergeant after 22 1/2 years of service. He later worked as a bus driver at Roxana High School.

Mr. Johnson was a member of Wood River Masonic Lodge 1349, Texas Eight Masonic Lodge of San Antonio, Scottish Rite of Belleville, and Ainal Shrine Temple of East St. Louis.

A Democratic precinct committeeman for 24 years, he was past chairman of the North Central Democratic Committee and was a member of the Madison County Democratic executive board. He was a past president of the Madison County Township Officials Association.

Survivors include his wife, Frances (Hill) Johnson, whom he married June 29, 1941, at Jefferson Barracks, Mo.; son, Michael Johnson, of South Roxana, a daughter, Tommy Lee Adams of South Roxana, two brothers, Edward Johnson Jr. of Okeechobee, Fla., and Roland Johnson of Miami; five grandchildren and three great grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Edward and Katie (Buck) Johnson; a brother, Dempster Johnson; and one grandson.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today at the Payne Home for Funerals, 618 E. Airline Drive, Rosewood Heights, with the Rev. Kenneth Clark officiating. Burial will be at Wanda Cemetery, South River.

Memorials are suggested for Wood River Township Hospice or Shriners Hospital for Crippled Children.

Ruby Rulo

Ruby Marietta (Click) Rulo, 65, of Cahokia died Friday, Jan. 8, 1993, at Memorial Hospital, Belleville.

She was born June 17, 1927, in Creve Coeur, Mo. Retired from the St. Louis Index Bureau, she was a member of Bethel United Church of Christ in Cahokia.

Surviving are five daughters, Linda Kaye Walther, Vicki Sue Adams and Kimberly Renee Ruckes, all of Cahokia, Christine Marie Kearns of Waterton and Deborah Raye Culples of Granite City; a sister, Ruth Simpson of Alton, Mo.; 15 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Raymond A. Rulo; her parents, George Arthur Click and Nancy Jane (Reynolds) Click; and two brothers, James and William Click.

Funeral services were held Monday at Braun Colonial Funeral Home, Cahokia, with the Rev. Herbert Stiemler officiating. Burial was at Lake View Memorial Gardens, Belleville.

Memorials may be made to the American Heart Association.

Clifford Williamson

Clifford L. Williamson, 72, of Brussels, Ill., died at 4:25 a.m. Sunday, Jan. 10, 1993, at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Belleville.

Born in East St. Louis on March 13, 1920, he retired in 1975 as a roofer for Roofers Local 2, St. Louis, where he worked for 35 years.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Karm) Williamson of Brussels; a son, Thomas R. Williamson of Granite City; and two grandsons. He was preceded in death by his parents, John and Olga (McCamber) Williamson, and a sister, Virginia Larson.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at Cass' Colonial Chapel, Fairview Heights, with the Rev. Art Erb officiating. Burial was at Mount Hope Cemetery, Belleville.

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John Ballett

John David Ballett, 78, of Cahokia died Friday, Jan. 8, 1993, at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. He was born July 15, 1914, in Lincoln.

Mr. Ballett retired from Swift and Co. of National City after 42 years of employment. He was also employed as an electrician for the Village of Cahokia for eight years. He was a member of East Masonic Lodge 302 of Fairview Heights and the Silver Trowel Club.

He is survived by his wife, Mildred (Latimovich) Ballett; a son, Michael F.E. Smith of Black, Mo.; a daughter, Pamela Lynne Triplett of Cahokia; two sisters, Mildred Julia Deeks of Granite City and Bernice Harmed of Belleville; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by a son, Robert Allen Ballett; a daughter, Lillian June Ballett; and his parents, David and Lillian (Fries) Ballett.

Funeral services were held Monday at Braun Colonial Funeral Home, Cahokia, with the Rev. James Schuetz officiating, following visitation and a Masonic service. Burial was at Mount Hope Cemetery, St. Louis.

Access

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time the engineer said he "would get to it" but that the engineering staff had other priorities.

After hearing this several months in a row, Partney told the aldermen he would ask about the plans "at every single meeting until I get them."

Partney got a negative response after that, he looked at Mayor Von Dee Cruse and, pointing out that the city engineer works for the mayor, asked why the engineer wasn't doing what he was told.

Finally, in a tragic-comic-dramatic scene, Partney told the engineer "you're embarrassing your boss" and had the engineer stand up, raise his right hand and swear to the "mayor, City Council and people of Granite City" that the plans would be drawn up before the next council meeting.

"It worked, didn't it? We got the plans and the work got done," Partney said.

"At that time, I'm not sure if handicapped accessibility was being taken seriously (by city officials) or not."

"I took it seriously — it may have looked funny, but I was serious when I made him swear on oath — and we got something done."

As a result, the City Hall was one of only a few area public buildings that met the standards of the federal Americans with Disabilities Act when it became law last year. (Earlier, an elevator was installed to connect upper floors with the ground-level basement.)

It remains one of the few area public buildings in full compliance with the ADA.

A city hall, of all places, should be accessible to all citizens," Partney said. "It shouldn't take a federal law to make us realize that."

The first phase of the ADA, which focused primarily on accessibility to buildings, went into effect almost a year ago, on Jan. 26, 1992. Under one provision of the act, state and local governments were mandated to make buildings and services accessible.

The ADA is designed to break down the barriers that people with disabilities have faced in all aspects of life, including employment, transportation, public accommodations and telecommunications.

"This is important, not just for — although especially for — gov-

Royal Rapp

Royal "Bud" Rapp, 68, of Granite City died Tuesday morning, Jan. 12, 1993, at DePaul Hospital, St. Louis. He had been ill for six weeks.

Born in Granite City on Sept. 4, 1924, he was a lifelong resident. He was a furnace operator at Granite City Steel, retiring in 1984. A member of the United Steelworkers and Second Baptist Church, he was a U.S. Army veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Mary (Ridings) Rapp, whom he married Dec. 6, 1947; two daughters, Sandy Moore of Lexington, Ky., and Beverly Rapp of Granite City; two sons, Monty Rapp Sr. and Marty Rapp, both of Granite City; a sister, Marcella Vaughn of Haysville, Kan.; six grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Joseph and Gretchen (Chastain) Rapp. Arrangements are pending at Werner Chapel for Funeral, 3535 Lake Drive, Pontoon Beach, 797-1009.

Edward Devany

Edward F. Devany, 90, of Venice died at 4:30 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 10, 1993, at Country Care Center, Gillespie, where he had resided for two and a half years. He had been ill for two years.

Born in Venice on Aug. 15, 1902, he had been a lifelong resident. He was employed as a supervisor for 49 years at American Steel Foundries, retiring in 1966. He was a member of St. Mark's Catholic Church, Venice, and a former Venice alderman and Venice fireman.

Survivors include three sons, Don Devany of Glen Carbon, Edward Devany of Cincinnati and Rusty Devany of Roseville, Calif.; eight grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Antoinette (Bazoolas) Devany.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at St. Mark's Catholic Church, with the Rev. Paschal Lobianco officiating. Burial was at Calvary Cemetery, Edwardsville. Arrangements were handled by Thomas Memorial Mortuary, Granite City.

Jerry LeMaster

Jerry L. LeMaster, 60, of Granite City died suddenly at 5:07 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 10, 1993, at his home. Born in Granite City, he was a lifelong resident. He was a welder in the construction field, retiring in 1988, and was a member of AMVETS Post 204 in Madison.

Survivors include his son, Larry J. LeMaster of Granite City; his daughter, Vera Figurido of Gloucester, Mass.; his mother, Vera LeMaster of Maryland; a sister, Peggy Pryor of Granite City; and six grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his father, Rufus LeMaster; and brother, Eldon LeMaster.

Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. today at Davis Funeral Home, 21st Street and Cleveland Blvd., Granite City, with the Rev. Lewis E. Trotter officiating. Burial will be at Sunset Hill Memorial Estates near Edwardsville.

Memorials are suggested for the American Diabetes Association, 1790 South Brentwood, St. Louis, Mo. 63144.

ernment, but for businesses and the entire community," Partney said.

"Everyone should be concerned with accessibility. We fortunate ones don't realize the hardships those with disabilities are confronted with. We are lucky we can just run up and down the stairs to do what we have to do. People with disabilities can't always do that."

In Madison, the city has received a \$50,000 grant from the federal Community Development

program to bring its City Hall into compliance with the ADA.

The plans and specifications are currently being finalized by City Engineer John Hale, said Mayor John Bellico, and the construction phase of the project should begin as weather allows.

In the meantime, Bellico has offered to move the Madison City Council meetings — now held on the second floor — to a place accessible to persons with disabilities if requested to do so.

In Venice, the City Council moved its meetings to the Senior Citizen Center in order to be accessible under the ADA requirements, but after several months of having no one show up, the meetings were moved back to the second-floor council chambers.

Venice currently has no plans to make renovations at its City Hall and city officials said they will move its meetings again if requested.



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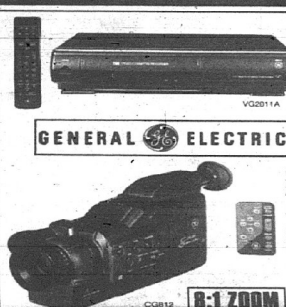
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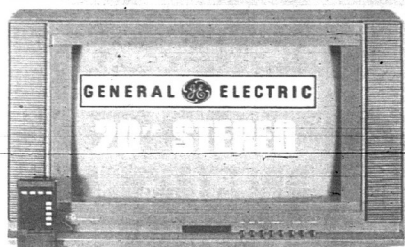
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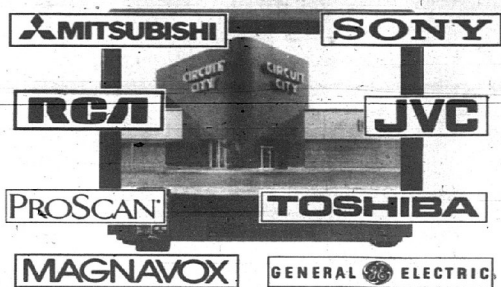


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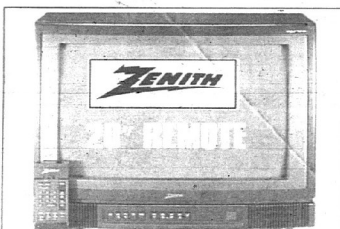
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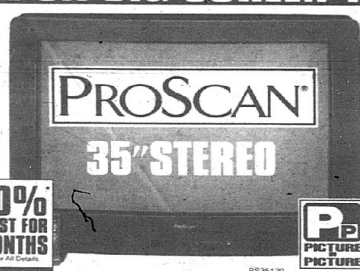
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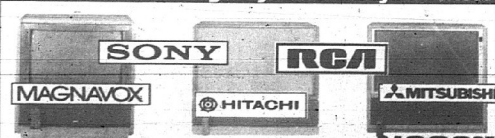


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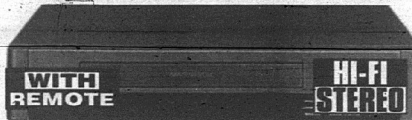


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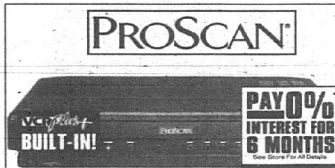
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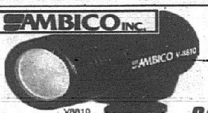
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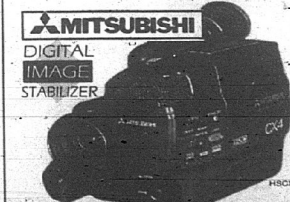
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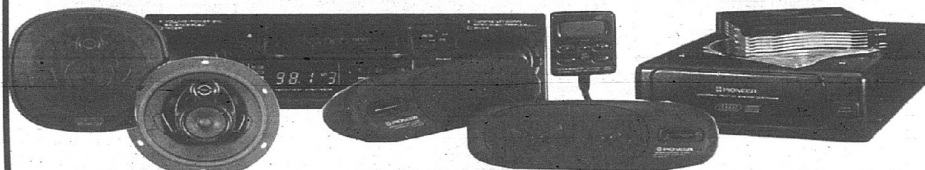
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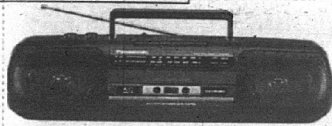
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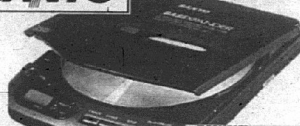
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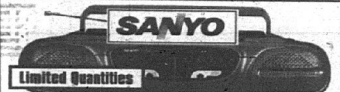
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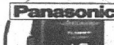
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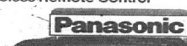

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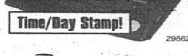
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PRACTICE MAKES PERFECT

Forfeit fat, find flavor

By Janice Denham
Staff writer

A cook should practice what is preached, because practice makes perfect when it comes to the time of year when cutting back on rich foods turns boring.

The diet roller coaster is no fun, nor is it successful for most of the people who ride it up and down the scale.

Enter the wheeler-dealer — actually a level-headed cook — who believes in trading. This time it is not horses, but fatty foods. Flavor is the one thing always played as a wild card.

A food that has been reduced in fat does not taste exactly the same as the original concoction. Often the dish is better. It has more intense flavor because more interesting foods replace fat and cooking methods are more varied.

It is difficult to change eating habits. They are determined by whether we ate canned or fresh vegetables when we were children — or whether we ate vegetables at all. It depends on what our mates, friends and children think is acceptable food. Our income, our daily schedules, our responsibilities all interplay to form our everyday eating routine.

Still, streamlining what we eat is an inch-by-inch process, hardly noticeable at times.

Start with fat. First of all, the amount of fat in a tablespoon of lard, butter, canola oil or olive oil is almost exactly the same — 12 to 14 grams per tablespoon. The difference is in the amount of saturated fat it contains. Saturated fat seems to be the culprit that contributes to heart disease. The amount of fat that is saturated in this amount of canola oil is 1 gram, in olive and corn oil is 2 grams, and in butter and lard 5 grams.

Those who don't want to subscribe to the idea of reducing fat still can cut calories by eating less fat, which may be the trump to healthier living, because excess weight stresses the body, too. Here are some tips for eating less fat:

- White-meat chicken is leaner than dark-meat chicken and white-meat turkey is leaner than either of the above. The skin should be removed from all chicken and turkey before cooking or eating, because fat lurks just under it.
- Stick to ground meat that has less fat. When cooking it, drain the fat as it gathers.
- Do not drink less milk, just lighten up on it. Choose milk with less fat, progressing from whole milk to 2 percent butterfat, then 1 percent, one-half percent and finally skim milk. Use evaporated skim milk instead of regular evaporated milk or cream in recipes.
- Look for cheeses that are reduced-fat — usually made with part-skim milk — or even fat-free. Using a stronger-flavored cheese means less will be needed.
- Delight in ethnic foods. Use Italian tomato sauces with small amounts or no meat, rather than toppings or fillings loaded with butter and cheese. Use more beans than meat in Mexican treats. Cut back on olive oil in Mediterranean dishes and use nonstick pans for preparation.
- Bake, broil or lightly saute all foods, rather than frying them.

TURKEY CANNELLONI MARINARA

Filling

- 1 lb. ground turkey breast
- 2 slices white bread, crumbled (about 1 1/4 cups)
- 1 egg white
- 1/2 cup chopped onion
- 1/4 cup chopped green bell pepper
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 tsp. salt-free seasoning (original blend)
- 8 cannelloni or manicotti shells, uncooked

Sauce

- 1 tbsp. oil
- 2 small onions, chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, minced
- 2 cans (14 1/2 oz. each) stewed tomatoes
- 1 tsp. leaf oregano
- 1/2 tsp. pepper
- 2 tbsp. chopped fresh or 1 tsp. dried leaf leaf basil

Salt, if desired

Preheat oven to 350°.
Prepare cannelloni according to package instructions.
Combine turkey, bread crumbs, egg white, onion, green pepper, garlic and seasoning. Mix until well blended. Fill shells with mixture.
Heat oil in large saucepan on medium heat. Stir-fry onion and garlic until softened. Add undrained tomatoes, oregano and pepper. Simmer 20 minutes. Stir in basil and salt.

Place 1 cup sauce in bottom of 11-by-7-inch baking dish. Arrange filled shells on top. Cover baking dish with foil. Bake in preheated oven 1 hour. Pour remaining heated sauce over shells. Season with salt.
Makes 4 servings; 475 calories, 9.6 g total fat (2.2 g saturated), 87.6 mg cholesterol and 689 mg sodium each, without salt added.

CATFISH WITH VEGETABLE MEDLEY

- 1 tbsp. oil
- 1 large onion, diced
- 1 tbsp. dried parsley flakes
- 1/4 to 1/2 tsp. instant minced garlic
- 1 pkg. (24 oz.) frozen peas and carrots (5 cups)
- 5 catfish fillets (about 1 1/4 lb.)
- 3 tbsp. finely chopped pecans
- 2 tbsp. soy sauce
- 2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
- 1 tbsp. burgundy wine or water
- 3/4 cups hot cooked rice

Salt and pepper, if desired
Additional soy sauce, if desired
Heat oil in large skillet over medium heat. Stir-fry onion until softened. Sprinkle with parsley and garlic. Distribute peas and carrots over top. Reduce heat to low. Heat about 8 minutes or until vegetables are thawed. Place fish on skillet, covered, about 25 minutes or until fish flakes easily. Add wine as skillet becomes dry.

Serve with rice. Season with salt, pepper and additional soy sauce.
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Hearty meal of pot roast or chicken offsets winter's chill

By Betty Sarati
Microwave specialist

The weather outside may be frightful, but dinner still may be delightful. Bone-chilling temperatures make families clamor for hearty food. Nothing is more satisfying than an old-fashioned pot roast or meal of chicken and rice.

With most families' busy schedules, those meals often are weekend fare when prepared conventionally. On the other hand, the convenience of a microwave oven offers hearty meals during the week, too.

When using a high power setting, most foods cook in about one-fourth the conventional time. That means many dinners that a cook ordinarily considers to require long-term cooking can take far less than an hour to prepare.

Even when a lower power level is selected to allow a tougher cut of meat to become tender, the time is greatly reduced compared to conventional cooking. Of course, because the microwave dinner can be prepared and served in an easy-to-wash dish, cleanup takes less time, too. Microwaves pass through glass and plastic, the material in most cooking containers, so food does not bake on the cooking utensil.

To make Chicken and Rice, a favorite of my family, combine 1½ cups uncooked long grain rice with ½ cup chopped onion and ½ cup chopped green bell pepper in a 2-quart glass baking dish. Stir in 1 can (10½ ounces) cream of mushroom soup and 1½ cups water.

One can (16 ounces) peas or green beans can be mixed in with the rice.

Skin about 2½ pounds chicken pieces to reduce fat. Lay on top of soup mixture. Cook 2 tablespoons margarine or butter about 30 seconds until melted. Stir in ½ teaspoon paprika. Brush chicken with butter mixture. Sprinkle with chopped green onion or snipped fresh parsley. Cover with plastic wrap, venting slightly to allow steam to escape. Cook on high

Over the Waves

power 30 to 35 minutes until rice is cooked and chicken is done.

To tenderize a less tender cut of meat, such as a chuck roast, it can be cooked on a lower power level. This requires a longer cooking time.

Ideally, this type of beef roast should be cooked on a medium-low (30 percent) power level, taking about one hour per pound—or two hours for a convenient two-pound roast. If that much time is not available, good results can also be obtained at a medium (50 percent) power level; meat cooked on a 50 percent setting takes about 35 minutes per pound, 1 hour and 10 minutes for a 2-pound roast.

Following is an excellent pot roast recipe, perfect for warm-

ing the family on cold days. There is a small amount of wine included, for its acidic effect of tenderizing the meat. Ketchup, vinegar or lemon juice can be substituted for the wine. Directions are given for both 30 percent and 50 percent power level cooking.

Old-fashioned

pot roast

2 lb. beef chuck roast

1 cup water
2 tbsp. soy sauce
¼ cup dry sherry
1 medium onion, sliced
1 tsp. instant beef bouillon
½ tsp. pepper
2 cups sliced fresh mushrooms
2 medium potatoes, peeled, quartered
2 large carrots, sliced

Pierce both sides of meat thoroughly with fork. Place in 3-quart casserole with water, soy sauce, sherry, onion, bouillon and pepper. Cook, tightly covered, at medium

(50 percent) power 35 minutes or at medium-low (30 percent) power 1 hour.

Turn over roast. Add mushrooms, potato and carrot. Cook, covered, 35 to 45 minutes at medium power or 1 hour on medium-low power until meat is fork-tender. Let stand, covered, 10 min-

utes.
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1/2 cup pineapple juice
1 tbsp. sugar
1/2 cup lemon juice
1/2 cup cornstarch
1/2 cup reduced-sodium soy sauce
4 tsp. oil
1 cup broccoli florets
1 cup sliced carrot
1 cup cauliflower
1 cup sliced celery
1 cup red bell pepper, cut in chunks
1 cup sugar peas, stems removed

In mixing bowl, combine pineapple juice, sugar, lemon juice, cornstarch and soy sauce.

Heat oil in skillet over medium-high heat.

Add broccoli, carrots cauliflower and celery. Cook 2 minutes. Add red pepper and sugar peas. Cook 2 minutes.

Add sauce mixture. Bring to boil. Cook, covered, 1 minute.

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The Office of Continuing Education at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer five non-credit computer instruction courses this winter. They include: introductory instruction in DOS, introductory instruction in Lotus 1-2-3, and introductory and intermediate WordPerfect 5.1. Registration for each course is \$150.

Instruction introducing student to Lotus 1-2-3 software is scheduled Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6:30-8:30 p.m. in room 2303 of Classroom Building II, beginning Jan. 19 and continuing through Feb. 11.

Lessons introducing the beginner to the IBM personal computer and DOS system will be held Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. in Room 3310 of Peck Classroom Building, beginning Jan. 23 and continuing through Feb. 6.

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The skin should be shiny with firmly attached scales. Unaged eyes are bright and clear and protrude away from the head when fish is fresh.

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Introductory lessons in Word Perfect 5.1 will meet Saturdays from 8:30 a.m. until 12:30 p.m., beginning Feb. 13 and continuing through Feb. 27.

Intermediate WordPerfect 5.1 classes will meet Saturdays during the same hours and at the same location, beginning March 6 and continuing through March 20.

For more information, contact Mary Henderson in the SIUE Office of Continuing Education at 692-3210.

High school art exhibit opens

The annual High School Art Exhibition and Competition, featuring more than 50 works from artists representing 12 area schools, opened with a reception Monday in the University Center Gallery of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

The show, which continues through Jan. 29, includes works in ceramics, sculpture, photography, drawings and paintings, just to name a few.

The UC Gallery is located on the second floor of SIUE's University Center. The event is sponsored by the SIUE Department of Art and Design and the University Museum of SIUE.

Juror for the exhibit is Daniel Lowery, an art teacher at Belleville Area College. Awards totaling \$400 will be given, as well as honorable mention recognition. For more information, call the SIUE Department of Art and Design at 692-3071.

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Attractive SWF, 24, enjoys reading, casual music, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Attractive, tall, slender

DWF, 44, enjoys reading, casual music, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Caring, widowed female

50, 5'6", 130 lbs., honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

SWF, 34

Enjoys music, sports, anything with the right partner, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Number one mom

DWF, 26, professional, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Attractive DWF, 35

Not a dresser, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Intelligent SWF, 19

With variety of interests, enjoys reading, casual music, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Attractive DWF, 34

120 lbs., professional, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Attractive, full figured

43, 5'7", 110 lbs., honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

DWF, 57

5'3", 100 lbs., honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Attractive Brunet

DWF, 29, 5'7", 110 lbs., honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

SWF, 35

34, professional, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Lonely and looking

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New Year, new Valentine

SWF, 37, non-drinker, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Mr. Morgan

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Love to laugh

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Professional DBF, 35

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SWF, 22

4'4", hazel brown eyes, enjoys dancing, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Ads from Men

Intelligent SWF, 33

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Children 6 & 7

DWF, 42, 5'9", 150 lbs., enjoys outdoors, honest, happy, very intelligent. Voice Mail No. 3014.

Q.D. guy

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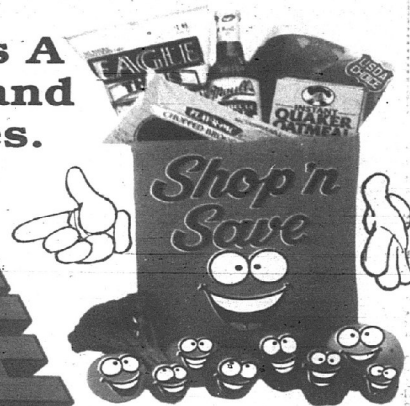
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•Wrestlers

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he's going to get tough enough for February is by wrestling better people. He has to be mentally prepared."

The Warriors' other place winners were Tony Buchek (2nd), Tim Fulkerson (3d), T.J. Slay (3d), Jamie Kirby (3d), Jeff Estrada (3d), Jeff Witter (3d), Andy Richards (3d), Chris Janek (3d) and Joe Scott (4th). Raymore-Peculiar, ranked second in Class 3A in Missouri, produced six champions, Columbia Rock Bridge, ranked third in the state, finished behind Granite City with 113½ points. St. Charles West placed fourth with 83 points, and St. Charles finished fifth with 76.

The Warriors went into the tournament expecting a high finish. They placed second at the Holiday Tournament behind Oakville, one of the top teams in the St. Louis area.

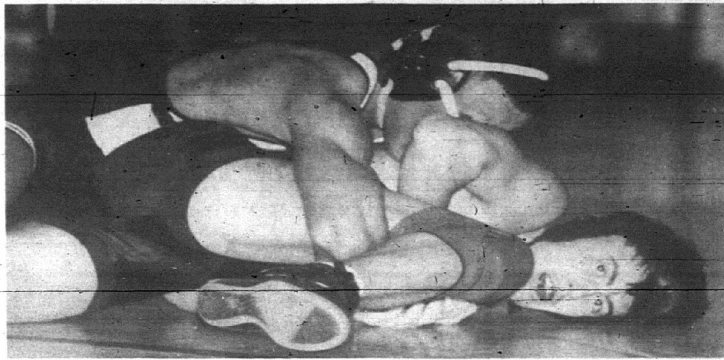
Granite City also came close at the Springfield Tournament, placing third behind New Lenox, Providence and LaSalle-Peru. The Warriors are 13-0 in dual meets this year.

"With young kids, you have a lot of peaks and valleys," Garland said. "Hopefully, our younger kids will bounce back."

Granite City will return to dual-meet competition this week with two home matches. The Warriors will wrestle Wood River on Thursday and then Parkway West on Friday.

There are just three weeks to go in the regular season, and Garland is counting on a strong finish.

"It's been an emotionally tough time with a couple of tough meets and the Holiday Tournament," Garland said. "Now we can move ahead. I'm confident in this group. I'm hoping they'll reach their peak during tournament time."



Granite City wrestler Jeff Estrada, a freshman, captured third place at the St. Charles Tournament on Saturday.

(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKE-HURD)

Journal Writers' Poll Wrestling

Wrestling Poll	
1. Francis Howell (2)	70
2. GRANITE CITY (3)	61
3. Oakville (1)	57
4. Hazelwood East (4)	50
5. McCluer North (5)	42
6. Howell North (6)	34
7. Fox (NR)	15
8. Parkway South (NR)	14
9. Cahokia (7)	13
10. DuSmet (8)	10

Others receiving votes: Lafayette, Parkway Central, Wentzville, Collinsville

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•Girls

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we have to grasp to avoid being a one-dimensional team," Lobdell said. "That's what earned us the victory in Collinsville."

The Lady Warriors have moved away from the tendency to just dump the ball off on Cavaness, realizing that she becomes a more effective weapon when other teams are not able to double-team her.

Apparently, the strategy is paying off, Kult said.

"We've really started to get the job done and I think the improvement is noticeable," Kult said. "We know that we let some games we should have won get away, but if we can continue to improve on our passing and rebounding we should be much better in the second half of the season."

Part of the Lady Warriors' improvement can also be traced to the emergence of junior Kami Kessel and freshman Denise McMillian, who round out the team's starting five.

Kessel, a point guard, attacks opposing ball handlers and creates turnovers. She was in and out of the lineup in the first few weeks of the season, which left a void in the defense and allowed opponents to get away with careless passes.

Her most important contributions may not show up in the statistics, but she makes things happen for her teammates. McMillian may be the final piece of the puzzle, however, Dreesh said.

"We could tell right away that Denise has what it takes by the way she performs in practice," Dreesh said. "She's small, but she is very fast and isn't afraid to take on anyone."

McMillian's feisty attitude may also inspire her more experienced and physical teammates to play up to their potential.

"We all have to be aggressive, box out and make good passes if we want to win," Dreesh said. "Most importantly, though, we have to move the ball and get everybody involved."

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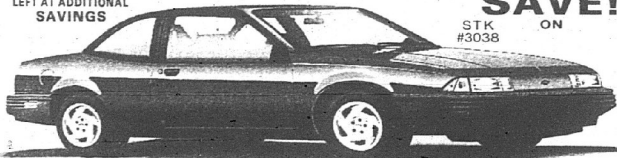
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Boys Basketball**

Large Schools	
1. De Soto (1)	11-1
2. Chamunda (3)	12-0
3. East St. Louis (4)	12-3
4. (tie) De Smet (3)	10-2
5. Vashon (5)	9-3
6. St. Charles West (7)	9-1
7. Riverview Gardens (6)	6-5
8. Roosevelt (8)	11-2
9. SLUH (NR)	9-3
10. (tie) Laque (10)	11-3
11. Hazelwood East (NR)	9-3

Others receiving votes: Edwardsville, Fox, Oakville

Small Schools	
1. Troy (1)	9-1
2. Jennings (2)	11-3
3. Festus (3)	7-1
4. John Burroughs (5)	9-21
5. Gilmart (6)	10-2
6. Priory (7)	9-2
7. Cardinal Ritter (8)	8-5
8. Red Bud (4)	10-3
9. Berkeley (NR)	7-3
10. Alhott (NR)	6-2

Others receiving votes: Lebanon, Rosary, Hancock, Columbia

**Journal Writers' Poll
Girls Basketball**

Large Schools	
1. St. Joseph's (1)	7-0
2. House Springs (2)	14-2
3. Cor Jesu (3)	9-3
4. Howell North (4)	10-1
5. Howell (6)	9-1
6. Hazelwood E. (5)	9-2
7. Lincoln (8)	9-3
8. Parkway West (7)	6-4
9. Nerinx Hall (9)	11-6
10. East St. Louis (NR)	7-2

Others receiving votes: Wentzville, Fox, Oakville

Small Schools	
1. Incarnate Word (1)	11-1
2. Westlin (2)	12-1
3. Wellston (3)	9-1
4. Visitation (4)	7-3
5. Troy (5)	8-2
6. Kennedy (6)	10-1
7. Burroughs (7)	6-2
8. St. John's (8)	8-1
9. (tie) Rosati-Kain (9)	4-4
9. (tie) Lutheran North (10)	4-4

Others receiving votes: Metro East Lutheran

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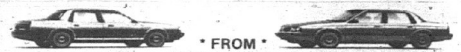


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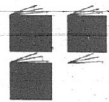
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Debate team travels to Indiana for tourney

The Granite City High School debate team traveled to Chesterton High School in Indiana, where 80 teams from 30 schools representing four states debated.

Novice debaters were Nikki Coulter, semifinalist, and Don Murphy, tournament champion. After nine rounds of debate, Murphy was undefeated. Varsity debaters were Jason Hall, quarterfinalist, and Heather Gitchoff, octofinalist.

Chesterton High School has been the National Forensic League champion for three of the past four years.

Granite City High School debate winners are, front row from left, Nikki Coulter and Heather Gitchoff; back row, Don Murphy and Jason Hall.



Divorces

The marriages of eight area couples have been dissolved in the Third Circuit Court in Madison County. They include:

Alfred E. Bartz, 23, of St. Louis, and Stacy (Slasiak) Bartz, 21, of Granite City; they were married June 11, 1987.

Charles P. White, 70, of Granite City and Lila (Barbour) White, 65, of Rosemead, Calif.; married Feb. 18, 1965.

Jerry Jordan, 47, of Granite City and Janet (Johnson) Jordan, 43, of Madison; married Aug. 5, 1992.

Steven D. Watkins, 41, and Catherine (Gunn) Watkins, 40, both of Granite City; married Sept. 29, 1990.

Thomas F. Schmidt, 41, and Linda (Hileman) Schmidt, 36, both of Granite City; married Sept. 1, 1977.

Dale E. Swanson, 45, and Donna (Burnett) Swanson, 46, both of Granite City; married April 8, 1967.

Brian K. LeVasseur, 26, of Stacy, Minn., and Shelly (Sinner) LeVasseur, 22, of Granite City; married April 14, 1990.

Mark S. Randall, 34, and Christy (Peach) Randall, 30, both of Granite City; July 28, 1990.



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Route 66 group seeks nominees

The Route 66 Association of Illinois is seeking nominees for 1993 induction into its Route 66 Hall of Fame.

Nominations are open through Feb. 28 and should be sent to Tom Teague, president, Route 66 Association of Illinois, 1208 W. Edwards, Springfield, 62704. Induction ceremonies will be held June 13 at Dixie Truckers Home in McLean, where the Hall of Fame is located. New members will receive plaques and also have exhibits dedicated to them at the Hall.

"We want to honor those people and businesses whose blend of hardy individualism and grassroots community spirit gave Route 66 its unique flavor," said Teague.

The nomination process is simple. All we ask is for 250 or more words about the nominee's history along the highway—

with as much specificity as possible. Photos, news clips and other memorabilia are also welcome. Nominations will be judged by a panel of historians and Hall of Fame members," he added.

'Spoils of War' to open Jan. 28

The Arts League Players of Edwardsville will present Michael Weller's "Spoils of War" at 8 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, Jan. 28-30, in the Metcalf Theater on the campus of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville.

"Spoils of War" is a family drama of separation and reconciliation which follows the son of divorced parents in his effort to establish his own independence while maintaining his ties to both, and which explores the parents' needs for independence and connection as well.

Tickets for the play are available at the door for \$6; students and seniors, \$4.50. Advance tickets at the same price are available at Sager Inn again, 104 E. Vandalia, Edwardsville. If purchasing tickets at the door, advance reservations are recommended at 696-1181.

The theater is wheelchair accessible; arrangements may be made by also calling the reservation telephone number.

The Arts League Players' 1992-93 season is made possible in part by grants from the Madison County Arts Council and the Illinois Arts Council, a state agency.

Interior decorating course being offered

Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville will offer a non-credit course this winter in interior decorating.

Sponsored by the Office of Continuing Education, the class will include the basics of good interior design. Included will be color, line and form in furniture styles; room arrangement; and interior fashion products for windows and furniture.

The class will be taught Tuesdays 6:30-8:30 p.m., beginning Jan. 19 and continuing through Feb. 23. The class will be held in the Peck Building, Room 0406. Registration is \$44.

For more information, call the SIUE Office of Continuing Education at 692-3210.

Senior menus

Donations for noon meals are \$1.75. Call day ahead for reservation, 877-4373.

Wednesday, Jan. 13
Baked chicken, rice pilaf, tossed salad, brussels sprouts, wheat bread, applesauce

Thursday, Jan. 14
Ham and beans, creamy cole slaw, cornbread, pineapple tidbits

Friday, Jan. 15
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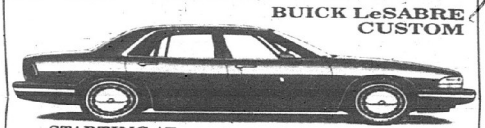
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P195/70SR14	71	P185/60SR14	71	P215/60HR15	93
P205/70SR14	72	P195/60SR14	73	P215/65HR15	96
P215/70SR14	75	P195/60SR15	76	P205/50HR15	125
P225/70SR15	81	P205/65SR15	79	P225/50HR15	132
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Journal Tour group will view Eskimo culture

On July 26, just when the summer season is at its peak and the weather at the Far North is most fair, the Eskimos of Barrow, Alaska, will welcome Journal readers to their village.

Barrow, with a population of 3,075 is situated on the northernmost point on the North American continent. It is 350 miles north of the Arctic Circle and 800 miles northeast of Nome. It receives more than 90 days of uninterrupted sunlight in summer and almost 70 days of total darkness in winter. It sits on the edge of the Arctic Ocean, which remains virtually frozen 11 months of the year.

Barrow is Alaska's largest Eskimo village. It is the whaling capital of the Arctic and many age-old traditions linger, including expressive dancing and hand-crafting of fur clothing, ivory and baleen.

The area was first mapped in 1926 and was named after Sir John Barrow, an English nobleman who encouraged and outfitted numerous Northwest Passage and Polar expeditions. The first whalers arrived in the 1870s, many of which became locked up in the ice. Their relief expeditions helped survey the area.

The first plane reached Barrow in 1926, and famous bush pilot Wiley Post and humorist Will Rogers crashed and died there in 1935. Today, Barrow is the seat of government in the vast North Slope area. It has profited greatly from the Alaskan oil pipeline, as can be seen in the many modern buildings and services.

An alternative to a day in

Fairbanks, Journal readers may choose a full-day excursion by jet to Barrow and the "top of the world" where they'll see a ceremonial program and an Eskimo blanket toss. They'll also learn about the rich cultural heritage of the Eskimo, the great whale hunts and see how mukluks, dolls and ceremonial masks are made from caribou and sealskin. Journal visitors will receive a handsome certificate to commemorate their crossing of the Arctic Circle.

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Eskimos in Barrow, Alaska, will perform dances for visiting Journal Tour members on July 26. You are invited to be part of this special group of tourists.

Program to help older workers

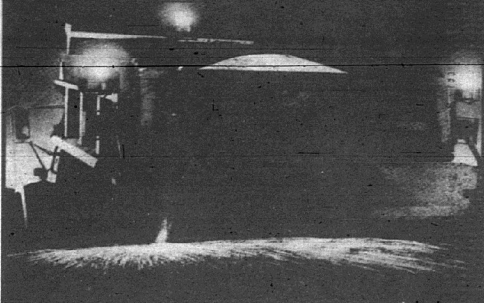
The AARP Senior Employment program has announced a new project in Madison and St. Clair counties designed to help private employers recruit and train older workers.

Although AARP has long advocated hiring mature workers because of their dependability, loyalty and well-grounded work ethic, this new program will go a step further. Now, the wages of an eligible person can be paid during an on-the-job training period to give a private employer added incentive to hire an older applicant.

If you are now recruiting for a job opening or will have one in the near future, call AARP's employment specialist, William Hendricks, at 656-5710 for more information.

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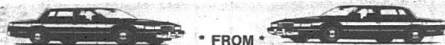


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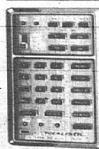
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'Chaplin' will be in Downey 'forever'

By Harry Hamm
Correspondent

In what he admits is the most ambitious role of his young career, 27-year-old Robert Downey Jr., whose father is an American director, actor, producer and screenwriter, says he was challenged in more ways than he could have imagined. Since the film covers Chaplin's life from the age of 5 until his death in 1977 at the age of 88, Downey recalled that the grueling role called for him to be in almost every scene. It demanded that he master Chaplin's gradually evolving English accents, learn his distinctive, graceful movement and to age from a teenager to an octogenarian.

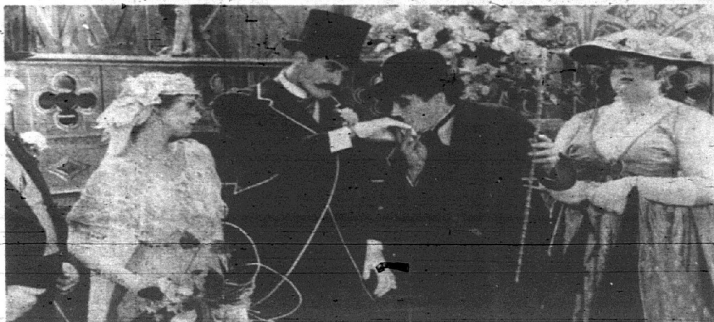
"Chaplin" has changed my life," Downey says. "It's given me a whole different perspective on communication, art, humor and the sadness behind humor. When I started out, I didn't know much about Chaplin. The first thing that fascinated me was that he not only directed his films, but produced and financed them as well. He had the experience, unique in Hollywood, of almost complete creative autonomy. He called his own shots. The singularity of that remains amazing even today."

Director Richard Attenborough recalled that he initially was looking for a performer to play Chaplin who was romantic, good looking, a wonderful actor, charismatic and someone who could do humor with exquisite grace.

"What made the role even more of a hurdle," Attenborough said, "was the fact that we wanted to use original Chaplin material in the movie, so the actor we picked must be one who looks like Chaplin when he's made up as the Little Tramp. Without the right actor, we had no movie, because Chaplin is the movie."

Downey prepared for the role for over a year. With the assistance of internationally renowned mime expert Dan Kamin, Downey altered his entire posture to become the "Little Tramp." He read every book on Chaplin he could find. He watched all of Chaplin's films and studied his voice and mannerisms through newsreel footage and documentaries.

Downey even went as far as to hire a tennis coach to teach him how to play the game left-handed, just like Chaplin. Raised in California, New



Charlie Chaplin (Robert Downey Jr., right) making his debut as the Little Tramp turns a high society wedding into a crazy romp and wins the heart of the bride, Mabel Normand (Marisa Tomei, left), in "Chaplin."

Mexico and London, Downey left high school in the 11th grade and

moved to New York, where he quickly landed a role in John

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Sayles' film "Baby, It's You."

His first starring role was opposite Molly Ringwald in "The Pick-Up Artist." Prior to "Chaplin," Downey's most critically acclaimed part was that of a drug addict in "Less Than Zero."

On television, Downey spent one year on "Saturday Night Live" and had a starring role in the made-for-television film, "Mussolini: The Untold Story." Looking back on "Chaplin," the most important film of his career to date, Downey says, "It was such a tall order to even consider playing him, but if you dive into a character for a long time, it becomes part of you. Charlie is in me forever."



Charlie Chaplin (Robert Downey Jr.) holds a mirror for dancer Hetty Kelly (Moir Kelly), his first love, in "Chaplin."

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